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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Ge Nong

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For

SCALABLE TWO-STAGE VIRTUAL OUTPUT QUEUING

SWITCH AND METHOD OF OPERATION

Group No.

2462

Examiner

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

This communication responds to a Final Office Action mailed April 13, 2010, and an Advisory Action Mailed July 19, 2010. This Amendment is being filed along with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). The response period is presently set to expire on July 13, 2010, and if this Request for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be August 13, 2010. Please amend the above identified application as follows: